

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE RESPONSE TEAM PROGRAM
Component: 50.20.151, 40.20.151, 50.20.161, 40.20.161

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The primary goal of the Domestic Violence Response Team (DVRT) is to fund staff to provide immediate response crisis intervention services following a domestic violence incident, and to provide advocacy and accompaniment services to domestic violence victims throughout the criminal justice and civil legal process. The DVRT must also collaborate and coordinate efforts with multi-disciplinary teams/organizations serving clients in common, to ensure a continuum of care.

DVRT refers to a team which includes a domestic violence advocate and a law enforcement representative. It may also include a domestic violence deputy district or city attorney, a probation officer, and a hospital representative or health care provider. The DVRT is designed to immediately respond to the secured scene of a domestic violence incident in person or by telephone when requested by law enforcement and provide crisis intervention services. If law enforcement does not request immediate response, the DVRT advocate must follow-up with the domestic violence victim within 48 hours of notification of the incident from law enforcement to provide intervention services.

FUNDS AWARDED

<u>Fiscal Year</u>	<u>Types of Funding</u>	<u>Total Funding</u>
FY 2008/09	Family Violence Prevention Services Act (FVPSA) FFY 2008	\$ 618,393
	Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) FFY 2008	\$ 72,899
FY 2009/10	Family Violence Prevention Services Act (FVPSA) FFY 2009	\$ 619,193
	Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) FFY 2009	\$ 72,684
FY 2010/11		Unknown

2008/09 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS

<u>490</u>	Victims provided immediate response crisis intervention services in person.
<u>1,084</u>	Victims provided immediate response crisis intervention services by telephone.
<u>1,654</u>	Victims provided intervention services.
<u>933</u>	Victims provided with criminal justice advocacy.
<u>642</u>	Victims provided with criminal justice court accompaniment services.
<u>757</u>	Victims provided with civil legal advocacy.
<u>631</u>	Victims provided with civil legal court accompaniment.
<u>74</u>	Multidisciplinary meetings conducted.

<u>264</u>	Multidisciplinary meetings attended.
<u>153</u>	DVRT-related training conducted.
<u>2,654</u>	Individuals trained in DVRT professional development.

2009/10 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS

Not Available

2010/11 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS

Not Available